Setting of public grievances

†2787. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that one thousand Grievances are finally settled out of the total public Grievances received every year;

(b) if so, the number of such cases that have actually been finally settled during the last three years; and

(c) the number and the details of cases belonging to Chhattisgarh that have been settled?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) to (c) For effective and expeditious redressal of public grievances, the Department of Administrative Reforms & Public Grievances has been taking up for close monitoring about one thousand grievances with the Ministers and Departments of Government of India and also with the State Governments and Union Territory Administrations. A total of 1427 out of 3800 cases taken up for close monitoring have been settled during the last three years. 27 cases pertaining to Chhattisgarh were taken up out of which 8 have been settled.

Annual Direct Recruitment Plan

2788. SHRI KARNENDU BHATTACHARJEE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in the year 2001, a scheme known as Annual Direct Recruitment Plan Scheme was introduced by Government for compliance by all Central Government Offices;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the ADRP Scheme was effective for a period of five years, i.e. upto the 31st March, 2006;

(c) if so, whether any instructions have been issued by DOP&T regarding filling up of the vacancies arising after the 31st March, 2006;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the manner in which such vacancies are to be filled up?

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) to (e) The question of filling up of direct recruitment vacancies arising after 31.3.2006 is under consideration of the Government.

Corruption in Bureaucracy

†2789. PROF. ALKA BALRAM KSHATRIYA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that being no provision for accountability amongst the Indian bureaucrats, corruption and negligence are on the increase;

(b) if so, Government's reaction thereto; and

(c) the efforts taken by Government to instill a feeling of accountability amongst the bureaucrats?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI SURESH PACHOURI): (a) Government officials are required to discharge their duties according to the prescribed rules, regulations and government instructions and violation thereof may invite disciplinary action.

Facilities given by MNCs

†2790. SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the fact that handsome pay, attractive perks and promotion avenues by the multinational companies, foreign agencies and private companies, are adversely affecting morale of the Central Government officers and employees;

(b) if so, whether efficient offices and employees are leaving Government jobs;

(c) whether Government have taken a decision to constitute the sixth Pay Commission; if so, by when it would be constituted; and

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